



Everything reduced, New York Store.

## Killed By Train

William Polley, employed at the C. and O. coal docks and residing in the East End, received a telegram yesterday stating that his stepson, Claude Duval, was killed by a railroad train Tuesday morning at Wapakoneta, O. His family resides at Wapakoneta and his funeral will be held at that place.

## Engineer Welmer Loses Life

Engineer Ben. Welmer of the Ripley ferry-boat Protor K. Smiley, who was scalded on his boat by the bursting of a boiler tube last Saturday, died from the effects of his injuries Wednesday.

He was about 67 years old and his family resided at Augusta.

Summer Dress Goods reduced, New York Store.

## IRO-QUINO TONIC

Just the tonic for this time of year. It is considered one of the most energetic blood makers, vital restoratives and the most certain means of invigoration in exhaustive diseases, loss of blood or debility. An ideal tonic for the tired feeling.

50 CENTS BOTTLE.

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MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1912.

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WHY HE MADE GOOD.

He had no cheek, his chin was weak,  
He could not make a fair appeal,  
And yet he prospered like a streak—  
He had a backbone made of steel.

Go to the New York Store.

Miss Lillian Ramey of Nepton and Miss Rose Talley of Crain Town, Fleming county are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Charles Ramey of East Third street.

## "Bells of Paradise"

Pastime tonight.

## Dan Cohen's Big Cleanout.

Talk about shoes! Dan Cohen makes them all look small when shoes are mentioned. Read the astonishing prices in today's PUBLIC LEDGER.

LET UNCLE SAM  
GIVE YOU THE FACTS

Government reports show the steady output of coal during the last few years has made the dealers push for wider markets. We are going to get more trade—your trade—by giving you a greater value for your money. You will never get out of debt unless you buy wisely.

MAYSVILLE COAL CO.

PHONE 142.

When needing dental work call on Cartmel.

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BARGAIN IN OLIVES

25c BOTTLE FOR 15c.

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And of our own make. We are now in position to give you most any kind of a floor that you should want. We can furnish flooring made from OAK, POPLAR, PINE, ASH, BEECH or BLACK WALNUT, or from any of our NATIVE WOODS, and at reasonable prices. Some as low as \$2 per hundred. For something fancy let us make you a QUARTERED OAK floor, you will be proud of it. Finish your best room with oak. You can get it at

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Maysville, Ky.

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## DEPLORABLE TRAGEDY

Elmer Nash, 14, Shot and  
Killed By Jennings  
Dickson, 15

Boy Poacher Forfeits Life For  
Stealing Green Apples

An unfortunate killing occurred on the race-track farm owned by W. W. Ball and situated South of Forest avenue, about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in which Elmer Nash, aged 15 years, was shot with a small rifle in the hands of Jennings Dickson, the 14 year old son of James Dickson, a tenant on the Ball farm, the youth dying a few minutes after the shooting.

At 7 o'clock Sheriff W. H. Mackay went to the Dickson home and arrested young Dickson and locked him up in the county jail.

The boy was nearly overcome by the tragedy and was unable last evening to give a lucid account of the unfortunate affair.

There are so many conflicting stories told concerning the killing that it is best to await the evidence to be brought out at the examining trial before County Judge Rice today.

It is even said that Dickson slipped up on Nash through the weeds and deliberately shot him.

On the other side it was alleged that Nash and two other boys were taking the apples and had been repeatedly warned away by the Dicksons and at the time of the shooting Dickson was standing on his porch and took a shot at the kids at long range, about 600 feet, he said, and that Dickson didn't know he had shot the lad until he heard screams. The two boys with Nash ran away when they saw Elmer was shot.

After Nash was shot he started to crawl away in the lane and was found by Jack Presley, who started to the Nash home with him, but the boy died before reaching his home.

Dr. A. O. Taylor was hurriedly phoned for, but on reaching the Nash home the little fellow was dead. Dr. Taylor says the shooting was done with a long .22 rifle ball, the bullet entering the boy's left side, going clear through his body, piercing the heart and lodging under the skin on the right side. Dr. Taylor has the bullet.

Both boys are mere kids and the slayer has an honest, open look.

His full name is William Jennings Bryan Dickson and he declared he is only 14 years old. Dickson says he only shot to scare the boys and that he was 200 yards away. He was never in trouble before.

Elmer Nash, known as "Peg," was a boy in knee pants. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nash of Forest avenue, the father being an employee of the Spar Brick Plant.

It is truly a distressing affair and we trust it will teach the other boys a lesson to keep away from other people's property, and also not to be too hasty about using a gun.

A fool kid with a gun is a dangerous animal.

## THE CORONER'S VERDICT.

We, the Jury, find the body before us to be that of Elmer Nash, white, aged 15, of Forest avenue, Maysville, Ky., and from the evidence we believe that he came to his death from a gunshot wound in the right side in the hands of Jennings Dickson of Mason county, Ky., and we also believe that the shooting was deliberate.

G. E. MEARNS, Foreman,  
BRUCE SNAPP,  
GEO. W. WALLINGFORD,  
OSCAR JUD,  
W. B. WING,  
W. B. WALLINGFORD.

July 11th, 1912.

It pays to buy at the New York Store.

In the County Court yesterday Charles Crawford and Julian Conrad were appointed appraisers of the estate of S. H. Fleming, deceased, with J. B. Durrett and E. T. Kirk sureties on bond.

## Not For Us They Won't!

It is said that beginning Monday, July 15th, the local dairymen here will advance the price of milk from 7 to 8 cents a quart. They say that before winter it will go to 10 cents.

## IM A DILEMMA

An Aged Seeker After Connubial  
Joys Strikes a Snag in  
This City

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning the hurried footsteps of Mr. F. F. Swanson of Huntington, W. Va., sought the cool shade of the Mason County Clerk's office. On his arrival the urbane Clerk was asked to issue a marriage license to Mr. Swanson and some fair maiden whose habitation was old Illinois.

Upon explanation by the Clerk that the visage of the bride-to-be would have to be gazed upon by the Clerk for the purpose of determining the approximate age of the applicant, it developed that the bride-to-be was still in Illinois and that she and Mr. Swanson were to meet and marry in Cincinnati that evening at 6 o'clock on their arrival in that city, and wanted a license issued by the Mason County Clerk for that purpose.

Our polite Clerk told Mr. Swanson that while it would afford him pleasure to comply with the request, it would be directly contrary to law to do so, for while Mr. Swanson claimed the lady to be 61, for all the Clerk knew she might be sweet 16.

What to do bothered Mr. Swanson terribly, and he plead earnestly with the kindly Clerk to show him a way out of his dilemma, as the marriage license office in Cincinnati closed at 4:30 o'clock and Mr. Swanson and his intended bride could not reach the city before 6 p. m., and it was imperative that the marriage should take place that evening.

After a few thoughtful thoughts our efficient and obliging Clerk brought the long distance phone into use. Upon the promise of Mr. Swanson not to be later than 6 p. m. in reaching the city, and a further intimation that the Queen City Clerk would not be forgotten in Mr. Swanson's will, the kindly official was persuaded to remain at his office and issue the license.

Good luck and happiness to the persevering old gentleman.

## THE PASTIME

TONIGHT ONLY

SPECIAL

Bells of Paradise

A Soothing and Restful Idyl Produced by the Gaumont Company.

FOUR FRIENDS, Comedy.

The Maysville White Sox, with "Bugs" Wiley, ex-Bluegrass Leaguer, will be the attraction at Augusta Sunday, July 14th.

## To Whom it May Concern

I will not be responsible for, or pay any debts contracted by anyone, whatever, in my name after this date.

THOMAS A. HICKMAN, SR.

July 10th, 1912.

## D. HECHINGER &amp; CO.

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL SALE OF THE REMAINING STOCK OF

## SPRING and SUMMER CLOTHES

Now in full blast. "Nothing reserved." Alder-Rochester, Hirsch Wickwire, College Brand and Michaels, Stern & Co. Most of you know the excellence and high standard of these Brands. All of them included in this sale.

Liberal reduction in Hanan and Nettleton Oxford shoes. Our stock of Hot-Weather Clothing and furnishing goods is still at its best. Our delightfully cool Linen Crash Suits, "Price \$6," are rapidly clearing our counters. Get one before they are gone.

Linen Crash Pants in all sizes. The best stock of Straw and Panama Hats in town.

D. HECHINGER &amp; CO. Maysville's Leading Clothing and Shoe Shop.

Master William Wickliffe Marsh of Covington is visiting Mrs. R. M. Newell of Lee street.

For Good creamery butter, buy Clover Blossom at the French Exchange, 111 Sotton street, 25c pound.

Mrs. John Poyntz entertained with a porch party Wednesday morning in honor of Mrs. Christian of California.

Harold W. Schnell bought of J. L. Jacoby of Hutchinson the past week a four-year-old driving mare at a private price.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dinger of Lexington are spending a week with relatives here. Mr. Dinger informs THE LEDGER that he is pleasantly located in the Bluegrass Capital and is prospering in a business way; all of which is gratifying news to Mr. Dinger's legion of friends in his native city.



EVANS-BRADLEY.

Lincoln Evans, aged 27, of Norwood, O., and Miss Amy Bradley, aged 19, of 2228 Vine street, Cincinnati, were married in the Queen City, Tuesday. The groom was formerly of Fleming county, and the bride with her parents resided in Lee street, this city, several years ago. The happy couple passed through the city yesterday en route to Flemingsburg on a visit with the groom's relatives.

GRAVES-CURTIS.

Mr. Sanford Graves, aged 21, and Miss Maggie Curtis, aged 21, both of Oakwood, Fleming county, were married in the County Clerk's office yesterday afternoon, Judge W. B. Rice officiating.

## SCHOOL QUESTIONS

Seek Information From County  
Superintendent Says State  
Instructor Ham-  
lett

To Teachers and Trustees:

The proper medium for the settlement of controversies arising between teachers and trustees is the County Superintendent of Schools. Many teachers, Trustees and citizens have a custom of writing the State Superintendent of Public Instruction about every little detail of school management. I have no objection to answering these inquiries and it is always a pleasure to render assistance to any school official or citizen interested in the welfare of the school. These requests often state only one side of the question and it is impossible to give a fair decision until we have heard both sides. In view of these facts, I think it wise and just for all Trustees, teachers and citizens to submit these questions first to the County Superintendent. When an opinion is needed, the County Superintendent is the proper person to ask for an opinion from the State office. When this is done, he can give both sides of the question and the state office can render an intelligent opinion. Strictly speaking, I have no authority to give an opinion, except upon an appeal from the decision of the county Superintendent or upon his request. I desire to make this appeal to all teachers and Trustees, to submit your questions first to the County Superintendent, who is the proper person to decide all questions of difference and doubt regarding the schools of his county.

BARKSDALE HAMLETT,  
State Superintendent.

Ladies' hats less than half price, New York Store.

## "LIL' ATHER'S CAFE"

Some Class to This Nickel Plated  
Mosaic Joint

CHICAGO, July 10th.—It should have been champagne, but it was beer, nevertheless, the initial opening of Jack Johnson's cafe, at 41 West Thirty-first street, tonight was as wild an opening as could have been witnessed had Louis Martin himself, established a Chicago restaurant.

It was an occasion of some "ecst." The champion said so himself, as he beamed at the mosaic tile floored grill room, which held 400 persons, while there were seats for 208. Then he went up stairs to the pomparian, and estimated the receipts. At the door 5,000 battled with the police in a wild endeavor to get into one of the three drink dispensing parlors, but they battled in vain.

Three thousand bottles of beer, 500 miscellaneous drinks, 5 bottles of champagne, 2 Russian caviar sandwiches, one order of ham and eggs, and a piece of apple pie—that is the estimate of the evening selling, made by Henry Sterritt, the manager.

## WILL DROP DELINQUENTS

We have just received notice from the Postal authorities that we can not send papers at the pound rate to subscribers who are more than a year in arrears. If you are in arrears pay up now or we will have to cut you off.

ALWAYS ASK FOR GOOD  
GLOBE STAMPS AT  
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C. G. CALHOUN,  
SCHATZMAN'S China Store.  
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**ALSO, A  
A LOT OF FINE BUGGIES**

**Mike Brown,**  
The Square Deal Man.

Purely  
Personal

Mr. Calvert Early left this morning for a stay at his Lewisburg farm.

Mr. John Schultz of Fleming county is a business visitor in the city this morning.

Mr. Charles Rice, cigar manufacturer of Lexington is visiting his mother in this city.

Miss Esulone Walther of Cincinnati is the charming guest of Miss Adele Wetsel of East Second street.

Misses Anna and Nellie Tolle and Lee Wilson Kenova, W. Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyers of East Second street.

Miss Elizabeth Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wood, is under medical attention at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati.

Ex-Sheriff Perry Jefferson of Carlisle came down Wednesday to attend the wedding of his niece, Miss Myra P. Duke, to Mr. M. M. Gary.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coffee, Mrs. Frank Kerr and daughter, Miss Maude, of the county, left this morning to visit Mr. James Slack near Midway.

Mrs. G. W. Oldham of West Fourth street spent a delightful day yesterday with Miss Edith Dunn at her hospitable home in the county.

Misses Emma and Mildred Hill of Indianapolis and Misses Edith and Anna Russell of Augusta are attending a house party given by Miss Martha Trapp at her home in East Fourth street.

## Hunt's Great Sale

Read carefully Hunt's big ad. in today's LEDGER. This line of goods is high-class and should appeal to sensible buyers. The prices given are unheard of for the quality.

## MAYSVILLE WINS AGAIN

Decisions of Umpire McBrayer Declared Bum By Fans, Who Talk of Signing a Protest

MT. STERLING, Ky., July 11th.—Maysville defeated Mt. Sterling today in a slow game in which there was much wrangling on both sides with the umpire, McBrayer. Both sides suffered and there was considerable talk after the game of getting up a petition of fans asking for his removal and declining to attend any more games on these grounds in which he officiates.

The game was a buffet and Vance of Maysville was succeeded by Grover in the fourth inning.

The score:

Maysville...2 0 3 0 1 0 3 0 0—7  
Mt. Sterling...1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0—4

Two-base hits—Carmory, Woodruff, Snyder, Spicer, Kimble, Legg and Patterson. Base on Balls—Off Friedley, 6; off Vance, 2; off Grover, 1. Stolen Bases—Kunkle, Snyder, Langenhorn. Sacrifice Hits—Snyder, Spicer. Struck Out—By Vance, 8; by Friedley, 4. Earned Runs—Maysville, 6; Mt. Sterling, 2. Hit by Pitcher—Vetter. Wild Pitch—Grover, Friedley. Left on Bases—Mt. Sterling, 3; Maysville, 5. Time—2:10. Umpire—McBrayer.

## FROU-FROU!

The most delicious wafers ever made. This, the original, is made in Holland. Your guest or family will be delighted. TRY IT. DO IT NOW. EVERYBODY IS.

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At the Coolest and Most Reliable Store in This Section of Kentucky—the Store That Sells What it Advertises and Never Misrepresents Values?

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\$2 White Pique Skirts at \$1.25.  
\$2.50 "Royal" Waists, perfect, at \$1.25.  
\$1 Blue "Eagle" Shirts, perfect, at 59c.  
White Canvass Shoes at \$2.  
White Canvass Shoes at \$2 50.  
White Nubuck Shoes at \$3.  
Mating Suit Cases at \$1.19.  
Voile and Lawn Dresses, special, \$4.98 and \$5.95.  
Big reductions in Ladies' Suits.  
Ladies' House Dresses 98c to \$1.98.  
Special prices on a few 9x12 Rugs.

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